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Lake Accotink Hosts Cardboard Regatta During Springfield Days

Lake Accotink Park will be inundated with cheering spectators and eager racers on June 3, 2007 at 2 p.m. with the start of the 18th annual Cardboard Boat Regatta. Marking the final event of Springfield Days 2007, the thrilling race promises to promote a sense of community and family fun. As part of the planning team, this Fairfax County Park Authority facility has worked hard to continue a tradition of community spirit and fun!

Race participants create cardboard boats from scratch and compete in both the actual race and contests that judge the design and "seaworthiness" of the crafts. Participating teams registering prior to 4 p.m. on June 1 pay \$15 per boat and \$25 after June 1. Admission to Lake Accotink Park is free on the day of the races, however there will be a \$4 parking fee.

More information on Springfield Days and the race rules and 2007 Registration Form are available online at <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/accotink/cbbr.htm>. Lake Accotink Park is located at 7500 Accotink Park Road in Springfield, VA. Inquiries may be directed to 703-569-0285.

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